

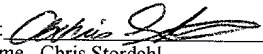
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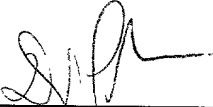
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- ☒ Transmittal sheet, in duplicate, containing Certificate under 37 CFR 1.10.
- ☒ Utility Patent Application: Spec. 17 pgs; 16 claims
- ☒ 9 sheets of tables and drawings
- ☒ An unsigned Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
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Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, it is noted that the application is being filed in the Japanese language. A verified translation will be obtained and will be filed in the Patent Office with required fees in due course.

Applicants' attorney notes that the claims appear to contain multiple dependencies. A formal Preliminary Amendment will be prepared upon obtaining the English translation of the application and filed in the Patent Office along with the verified English translation of the specification.

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